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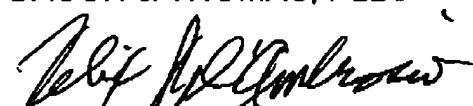
REMARKS

As a supplement to the response filed on April 3, 2008, further amendments to claims 5, 7 and 8 are being submitted as noted above. The nature of the amendments being submitted are formal and not substantive, and are being submitted to ensure clarity for examination.

It is also worth noting that the method defined in claim 5, that is the two step method is not disclosed in the PROFIBUS. PROFIBUS is silent as to a two step method as disclosed and claimed.

Respectfully submitted,
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